

Youth fitness meet set

More than 2,000 to compete in finals at park

BELLEVILLE — More than 2,000 boys and girls from 48 communities, including Van Buren Township, Milan, Ypsilanti and Ypsilanti Town-

ship, are expected to compete in the finals of the 14th annual Detroit Metropolitan Area Youth Fitness Meet to be held at Lower Huron Metropolitan Park near here July 29.

The day's activities will get under way at 9:30 a.m. with the Praesidium Drum and Bugle Corps of Riverview performing during the assembly of the contestants.

Flag raising ceremonies and the invocation will precede the mass calisthenics and athletics events which will be featured in the meet.

Boys and girls ages 10 through 15 will compete in one event each. First, second and third place winners will receive trophies donated by the Michigan Department of the American Legion.

The 2,000 meet participants are the remnants of 250,000 youths who competed in preliminary events at recreation centers in their own communities to make their way into the finals.

Other city and community recreation departments participating in the meet include Adrian, Allen Park, Ann Arbor, Berkley, Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills, Dearborn, Dearborn Heights, Detroit, East Detroit, Ecorse, Ferndale, Garden City, Grosse Pointe Park, Hamtramck, Highland Park, Inkster, Jackson, Lincoln

Park, Livonia, Madison Heights, Marysville, Northville, Oak Park and Plymouth.

Other communities to be represented are Pontiac, Port Huron, Redford Township, Roseville, Royal Oak, St. Clair Shores, Southfield, Southgate, Taylor, Tecumseh, Sterling Heights, Warren, Wayne, Westland and Wyandotte.



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By **PATRICIA HENSLEY**
Of The Press Staff

City of Ann Arbor. There

Pittsfield Township residents living around the County Service Center bombarded county commissioners and planners with criticisms of the proposed jail construction at the center during a public hearing on the issue last night.

Less than 50 area residents attended the hearing at the Service Center on Washtenaw Ave. The hearing is to be the first of a series of public discussions of the location of a new county jail.

County officials who attended the meeting included Commissioners David R. Byrd (R-Ann Arbor), Albert Brederwitz (R-Saline), James M. Cregar (D-Ypsilanti Township), Frederick J. Schwall (D-Ypsilanti), Floyd Taylor (R-Northfield Town

Action is withheld on annexation

BELLEVILLE — A request from the Van Buren Board of Education to release some 40 acres of property for annexation into Belleville was received by the Van Buren Township Board last night.

The board decided to withhold action on the matter for further study.

Both the school district's high school and vocational school are divided by the borderline of the two municipalities. Last Aug. 9 the school board voted to initiate the annexation action for the portion located in the township limits for a number of reasons.

One of the purposes, according to board Treasurer Richard Muse is to save some \$1,000 annually in utility rates. The school system is presently paying a double rate to the city because of the out-of-bound service.

Policing was cited as another problem arising from the existing situation because the township does not have day shift patrol.

The schools use city water and sewer facilities at present, but the township has plans to connect its own water

line to the high school. The vocational school is served by township water but relies on the city's sewer system. The administration building, located in the township, also is hooked into the city water and sewer system.

Supervisor G. Elton Gollwitzer said any "crazy boundary lines" caused by annexation should be straightened by the State Boundary Commission. He added the problem is compounded because currently

three taxing units — Van Buren Township, Belleville and Van Buren School District — are involved.

The board directed engineer Morris Levine to draw up maps for the area and requested the school board to submit detailed plans for annexation.

Sewer plan

The board tabled action on the proposed French Landing regional sewage treatment system being pushed by Yp-

silanti Township.

Gollwitzer said the Water Resources Commission (WRC) is expected to come up with a final decision shortly, and if local treatment practices were denied the French Landing plan would also be abortive.

"I think it's rather premature to act on this before the Water Resources Commission acts," the supervisor said.

He reported on yesterday's public hearing held by the

WRC on various alternative proposals affecting Washtenaw, Wayne and Oakland Counties.

Tax levy

The annual township-wide property tax levy totaling 7.4 mills was approved. They include 1 allocated mill, 4 extra mills voted in the 1950s for water and sewer, 2 assessed mills for trunk sewer, and .4 mills for the Peoples Community Hospital Authority (PCHA).

Clerk Erma J. Payne, said the levy is the same amount as imposed last year.

Tap contract

A contract for water service taps in the township was awarded to Andy's Excavating in the amount of \$11,372.

Two other bidders, Kozak Construction and Aqua Pura, competed with respective bids of \$15,577 and \$14,160.

The bids were "almost identical as last year," according to engineer Levine.

Miscellaneous

In other business, the board:

— Authorized Roy Ramsey to dispose of the excessive dirt from his pond at 16244 Bak Rd., an action related to the board's earlier approval of the pond project.

— Received a letter from the Department of Commerce on the recommended automatic protection device to be installed at the Norfolk and Western Railroad crossing at Martz and Bemis Rds.

— Waived the \$25 building permit fee and \$1,000 faith bond for Faith United Methodist Church at 6071 Gilmore Rd. in Denton.

— Received a resolution the Northville Township Board calling for the change of the stray dog board period from five days to hours.

office opposed

By PATRICIA HENSLEY
Of The Press Staff

Washtenaw Social Services Director Alfred E. Brose concedes he is opposed to the concept of a branch office of his department in Ypsilanti.

He made the statement during a joint session of the Social Services Board and the county commissioners' Health, Education and Social Services (HESS) Committee yesterday.

"If anyone on the Board of Commissioners had the impression I was in agreement with the sub-center idea, they

state Department of Social Services.

"We can't get more personnel unless the state hires them," he said.

He explained that the major problem which prohibits the

establishment of a branch office is a lack of supervisory personnel. Brose said that although the state had recently approved the hiring of eight additional civil service workers for the county

department, they are clerical positions, not supervisory. Seven of the new positions are for case maintenance service workers who help persons prepare their assistance ap-

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Reactions differ at WRC hearing

in a 2-phase study commissioned by the WRC in June at a cost of more than \$10,000. The study listed seven alternative approaches to be considered by the WRC next week.

WRC Director, Washtenaw County's acting Department of Public Health, Dr. J. H. Smith, in 1969 calls for the improvement of the sewage treatment plants of Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor. The connection of the Ypsilanti sewerage system to the Wayne County regional in-

Administrator of Ann Arbor, Guy W. Smith, told the hearing the city takes no action as the county.

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ment, however, was opposed by Dr. J. H. Smith, Van Buren Township

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Iron River and drowned. A passenger is in good condition at Beyer

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Wednesday. Student marshals are expected to take notes on any incidents and tape record conversations in which students are asked irrelevant questions.

The new city charter with its provision for a ward system of voting is also a prime concern of students. The ward system is designed to be used against the students, said Mack. He felt the proposed ward system would be used against the students by splitting the student power from one central voting block into smaller ineffective units. In effect, the ward system would negate the 18-year-old charter as passed by the Michigan Supreme Court, Mack said.

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going on. Among these is the exact reverse of the ace-trumping monstrosity. You probably have not seen it, but if you play enough with careless players, just be patient. After a long enough period, you may see it done. Let's hope it will be by an opponent, rather than your partner or yourself.

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(Dealer: South. North-South vulnerable.)

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West led the club Q to the K. Declarer, seeing the certainty of one loser in hearts, plus one each possible in spades and diamonds, and the heart Q, intending to over-

tract, though both finesses failed, in spades and diamonds.

If East had kept his eyes open, South would have been down one by normal play, as the defenders would have taken tricks with West's spade K, diamond K and ruff, and East would have scored his heart A on a later trick.

Of course, on this freakish hand, South's contract would have been safe against any defense if he had refused to take any finesse, leading his spade A and Q after winning the first trick, taking any return, removing West's final trump and then playing the rest any way he wished. But few would have failed to try the trump finesse, seeking to use a heart for entry to the dummy, since everybody likes to make an extra trick if he can. But that would have been the sounder play in rubber bridge, protecting South against a heart void.

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Your Week-end Question

What is usually the most devastating opening lead if you hold a goodly bunch of the declarer's trump suit, including an honor or two, and a pretty fair long side suit?

17. Apparent ends of Saturn's rings
18. To jellify
20. Spigot
22. Roman pound
23. Cease
25. Sporty
28. Embraces closely
30. A morbid fear (Psych.)
32. Present
35. Pronoun
36. Peep
38. Title of respect
39. Ova
42. Insane
44. Negative reply
45. Metal cords
47. A ring-shaped piece for a game
49. Incarnation of Vishnu
50. A single thing
51. In bed
52. Little island

15. A girdle of ribbon
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Church selects name

First service is scheduled

BELLEVILLE — A recently organized Lutheran mission congregation here has chosen a name, officers and time and date for its first service.

Lutheran Church of the Apostles will conduct its first worship service at 9:30 a.m. Sunday in the V. F. W. Memorial Hall, 44170 Bemis Rd. in Belleville, under the leadership of the Rev. Harold E. Koch.

Representing the Michigan Synod of the Lutheran Church in America at the service will be Robert F. Krasa, who will bring greetings to the group in the name of the parent church and its 6,186 congregations throughout the United States, Canada, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

Officers elected for the new church include Mrs. Joan Kremkow, secretary; Grant Shattuck, financial secretary and Mrs. Bertha Thompson, treasurer.

Sunday School classes for the new congregation will begin as soon as the number of those interested is determined and graded classes for all ages also will be provided. Classes that will lead to church membership will begin in the near future at the parsonage, 45190 Jeannette, Belleville.

The public has been invited to participate in the first service and subsequent services to be held each Sunday in the V. F. W. Hall. For further information contact Pastor Koch at 699-2111.

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Does Victory Street really exist

By RAY MEAGHER
Of The Press Staff

BELLEVILLE —A street that may or may not exist caused the Belleville City Council to turn down a request for rezoning of a lot northeast of Columbia Manor on W. Columbia Street last night.

Councilmen rejected the request of Robert Hay, owner of the apartment structure, to rezone the lot from two family residential (R-2) to multiple dwelling (RM) after residents of the area protested the rezoning would lead to a nuisance.

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The residents did not appear to be opposing the rezoning itself nor Hay's plan to use the lot for off-street parking as much as they objected to the probability the change would result in the use of "Victory Street" as a thoroughfare.

There is a question whether Victory Street is even a street. Some city maps list it as a street, and some councilmen believe it was used back in the 1920s when Belleville was a village.

Hay said his investigation showed it to be a street, and his plan called for using it as an exit from the parking area he proposed.

Victory has not been used as one for some time. The fact has been overgrown with grass, shrubs and even some trees over the years.

Opponents of the rezoning do not want the present use of the area changed, contending if it were opened as a thoroughfare it would result in the movement of traffic across what they consider their backyards.

Councilman Thomas Hamlin said if the street is opened to traffic, it would have to be improved and the residents would be assessed to help pay for the improvement. to determine the legal status of the street.

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After the council voted and the objectors had left, Hay asked councilmen what his status was.

He argued the area was dedicated legally as a street and residents of his apartment, which abuts it, could therefore legally use it as one. He suggested he might clear the area so it could be used as an exit from the parking he has already developed at the apartment building.

City Attorney B. Ward Smith advised against Hay's suggestion until he has had an opportunity to investigate records

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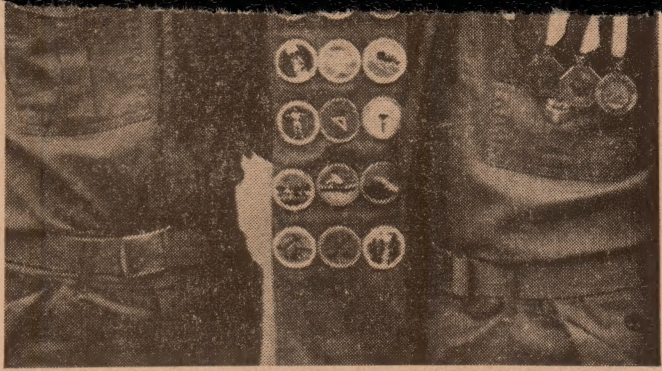
The federal program would end on June 30, 1973.

Patrolman Jimmy F. Moore told the council about the police department's program with the schools.

The school visitation program is beginning with the elementary grades and according to plans will include the junior high schools in 1971 and the high school in 1972.

In the elementary grades, Moore said that the police officers try to warn the children about pedestrian safety and molesters.

Emphasis in junior high school is placed on pre-driver education programs and in high school, drugs, driver's education and familiarization



These seven rows of badges symbolize two years of hard work by Bob (left) and Wayne Dudley of 677 Cayuga Ave. Thursday night the boy scouts' efforts will be rewarded when the two brothers will become Eagle Scouts.
—Press Photo

Brothers to be Eagle Scouts

Belleville protests decision

Council assails county resolution

BELLEVILLE — The Belleville City Council last night joined the City of Lincoln Park in protesting the decision of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners to require local county communities to collect their own delinquent personal property taxes.

Previously, the county collected the delinquent taxes for a fee from the communities, and returned the taxes to the local community. Last May, however, the County Board of Commissioners voted to put the responsibility of the delinquent collections in the hands of the communities in which the taxes are due.

In the resolution adopted last night, the Belleville Council called upon the county commissioners to rescind their May decision, arguing the city does not have the manpower nor the necessary office space to do the collecting job.

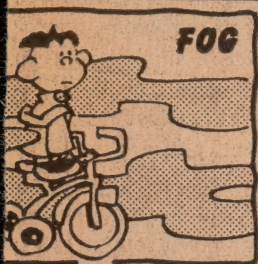
The Lincoln Park City Council had previously adopted a similar resolution.

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Belleville and VB use eyed

~~1~~ ~~BELLEVILLE~~ — A firm agreement between the City of Belleville and Van Buren township on the use of fire hydrants owned by the two municipalities has been requested by Township Supervisor Edward Stoelton.

~~2~~ ~~Van Buren~~ ~~Stoelton~~ suggested the agreement in a letter submitted to the City Council at its meeting last night. He said there may be instances when township fire crews might have need to use a city hydrant or vice versa.

~~3~~ ~~Belleville~~ The council agreed such an understanding should be worked out and City Fire Commissioner Kenneth Palmer was instructed to meet with Supervisor Stoelton and work out the details of an agreement.

~~2~~ ~~Palmer~~ Mayor Royce Smith was prompted by this discussion to point out that many township residents often make the mistake of calling the Belleville Fire Department when they need fire fighting assistance. This delays action because they are then advised to call the township fire department.

~~1~~ He advised residents of Van Buren Township to call one of these numbers in event of a fire emergency: north of the I-94 Freeway call OX 9-2211; south of I-94 call OX 7-3456.

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